

FIRM IS DISSOLVED; TOOK EFFECT TODAY

Westcott & Story's Dissolution, as Outlined in Times, Is Announced.

The dissolution of partnership in the real estate firm of Westcott & Story, which was outlined exclusively in the Times yesterday, went into effect today. The business that has been conducted in the firm's name at 816 Seventeenth street northwest, is now being carried on by Horace H. Westcott, John P. Story, Jr., is associated with Murray A. Cobb, at 1102 Connecticut avenue.

The Connecticut avenue office of Messrs. Cobb and Story are to be given up within a few days, as they are not deemed large enough to accommodate the increased business that is expected to accrue when the forces of the new partners are united. The larger quarters have not yet been selected, a representative of Mr. Cobb said today, but will be chosen immediately. The new firm will do a general estate business, including loans and insurance, and will deal almost exclusively with realty in the northwest section.

Policy Unchanged.

The policy of Horace H. Westcott's office will be the same as heretofore, the selling and leasing of properties, the making of loans on real estate, and placing insurance.

An interesting feature of the business co-operation of Murray A. Cobb and John P. Story, Jr., is that only a few years ago, each was a clerk in a real estate office, learning the business from the ground up. A coincidence is, that Mr. Cobb was in the office of Horace H. Westcott before the formation of the firm of Westcott & Story, which was organized ten years ago. Both the members of the new firm which Messrs. Cobb and Story have formed have been associated, therefore, with Horace H. Westcott, Mr. Story's earlier training in the real estate field was received in the office of Arthur D. Addison.

Business Has Grown.

Mr. Cobb's personal business at his Connecticut avenue office has been growing steadily for several years. About a year ago, he became one of the managers of the Connecticut avenue branch of the International Banking Corporation, and since that time he has given considerable attention to banking matters. Both Mr. Cobb and Mr. Story are energetic business men, and their fellow-real estate brokers expect that they will accomplish much by joining their interests.

The business of which Mr. Westcott has assumed sole charge is well established, and under his experienced management is expected to develop into even stronger influence and larger proportions.

FOUR DEAD IN WRECK; FIVE BADLY HURT

Freight Crashes Into Rear of Special Loaded With Passengers.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Oct. 2.—Four are dead, two fatally and three seriously injured today, as the result of a wreck on the Ohio Central railroad at Sugar Ridge. An extra freight train plunged into the rear of a special passenger train, bringing people from the Bowling Green fair to Toledo.

The dead: George Gosler, twenty-one, Sugar Ridge; Richard Ridout, fifteen, Toledo; Thomas Crane, fourteen, Toledo; Leslie Fuller, sixteen, Dunbridge, Ohio. Fatally injured: Victor Stoenbrook, Dunbridge; John Brake, Columbus; brakeman on freight. Injured: P. McCroy; Mrs. P. McCroy; Mrs. W. R. Boyd, Toledo.

EDUCATORS VISIT THE WHITE HOUSE

At Morning Session, Association Changes Name to Permit of Broader Scope.

Delegates to the Eastern Public Education Association were received this afternoon at the White House by President Roosevelt, and in consequence, their scheduled public session at the Business High School was canceled. The speakers who were to be present at the afternoon session will deliver their addresses this evening at the New Willard Hotel.

At the business session held this morning at the Willard, and at which George I. Aldrich presided, important changes were made in the constitution of the association, so as to enlarge the scope of its activities and to give greater latitude to the eligibility to membership.

In response to the wishes of the Southern and Western delegates and to the desire of the association to become national in scope, the former Eastern was dropped, and henceforth the name of the organization will be Public Education Association. The delegates are well pleased with the progress made during the week, and regard the conferences as a success in every particular.

SCHOOL CHILDREN EXHIBIT FLOWERS

Exhibits of flowers raised by the school children of Washington were shown in every school in the city this afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. The flowers are those raised from the seeds and bulbs distributed early in the spring to the children. The gardens are made and kept by them and the results are entered in general competition for honorary prizes.

The fall order bulbs are to be given the children in the schools for the winter cultivation.

CRUISER IS REFLOATED.

PORTSMOUTH, England, Oct. 2.—The British cruiser *Gladiator*, sunk April 25, off the Isle of Wight, by the American liner *St. Paul*, has been refloated. Many experts think she never can be used again.

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FIGURES IN CHANGE IN REALTY FIELD



HORACE H. WESTCOTT.

MURRAY A. COBB.

JOHN P. STORY, JR.

MOTHER LOWERS SON TO GROUND BY ROPE

Father Jumps From Roof of Burning House and Is Hurt—Woman Swoons.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—In a fire early today that destroyed the two-story and attic house, 819 Ritter Place, the Bronx, Hermann Waltman, blacksmith, jumped from the roof and was badly injured.

His little son, George, six years old, was lowered from the second story window by a clothes line held by his mother.

The mother was, in her turn, rescued by policemen. Their boarder, George Staterol, was severely burned.

Policeman Gilbert and Detectives Fay and Voss were passing, and, making a human ladder, rescued Mrs. Waltman and Staterol.

The two were lowered over the bodies of the rescuers, and a knot of neighbors who gathered to aid rushed forward to take them from their arms to the ground in safety.

Shipwreck Survivors Tell Of Strike of Chinese Crew

Passengers From Aeon, Which Went Ashore on Christmas Island, Reach Melbourne—Recite Thrilling Stories.

MELBOURNE, Oct. 2.—The passengers of the steamship Aeon, who were castaways on Christmas Island for nearly two months, and were taken off by the steamship *Manuka* and carried to Suva, Fiji Islands, arriving there on September 29, give thrilling account of their experiences.

Mrs. Patrick, wife of Captain B. R. Patrick, U. S. A., who was a passenger on the Aeon, gave birth to a daughter on the day before the arrival of the *Manuka*. The work of transferring Mrs. Patrick aboard the *Manuka* was difficult, owing to a rough sea.

The passengers report that when the Aeon struck the rocks, on which she was wrecked, the Chinese members of the crew seized the life belts and were so terror-stricken that they were unable to lower the boats until the captain's coolness somewhat restored their morale. Later, they looted the wreck, and when they reached the shore they refused to work at transferring stores from the ship, and a guard had to be placed over them.

MACCABEE WOMEN HOSTS AT A DANCE

A ball was given last evening at the old Masonic Temple, Ninth and F streets, by the women of the Maccabees of the World, the occasion being the sixteenth anniversary of the organization of the order.

Mrs. Melvin J. Caswell was chairman of the general committee, and was assisted by Mrs. Mary A. Van Ness, Mrs. Martina Senay, Mrs. Mary Cosgrove, Mrs. Grace Bernhard, Mrs. Mary Galoway, Mrs. M. De Temple, Mrs. Ida Roberts, Mrs. Hattie Palmer, and Mrs. Anna J. Shepard.

GEORGETOWN. PLEA FOR POLICE NOT YET GRANTED

Business Men Urgent in Their Demand for Cross-ing Patrolmen.

Some time ago a petition was signed by a number of business men, whose places are in the vicinity of Wisconsin avenue and M street, asking that a detail of crossing policemen be stationed at that corner. So far, nothing has been done in the matter of granting the taxpayers of that section of town the much needed police protection.

That they are needed there is no doubt. Before the present law went into effect, which requires the railroad companies to pay the crossing policemen, special men were regularly detailed from the regular police force at Wisconsin avenue and M street, but when the new law went into effect the policemen were withdrawn from that corner, and none has been stationed there since.

An entertainment was given last evening at Our Lady of Victory Church, Conduit and New Cur roads. Father M. F. Yingling had charge of the affair. Many members of the congregation and their friends were present.

The members of Logan Tribe, No. 3, Improved Order of Red Men, held a meeting last evening in Red Men's Hall, Wisconsin avenue and N street.

Curfew Law Needed for Women As Result of Recent Hold-ups

Reign of Terror in Eastern Pennsylvania Causes Police to Take Severe Action in Corral-ling Band of Negroes.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—A number of daring hold-ups through Delaware and Chester counties have terrified women of those districts, and an unofficial curfew law is being exercised to prevent women and girls from being out at dusk alone. The police are on the lookout for a band of negroes who, they believe, are working together.

Mrs. Annie Jacobs, of West White-lan, was returning home at dusk yesterday when she was seized by a tall negro who robbed her of her purse and rings. He then ran down the road and escaped.

Two young women were held up near Kirkland two days ago by a negro answering the description given by Mrs. Jacobs. Miss Elizabeth Randall, of Moy-lan station, was stopped by a man and woman on Yale avenue Wednesday, and had her right hand badly hurt when the woman, spurred on by her companion, pulled Miss Randall's rings off.

Another hold-up took place last night at Norwood. Two men rescued a young woman from the hands of a negro, who made his escape. The young woman was hysterical with fright, but refused to give her name.

ACCUSED "DRUNK" HAS \$32,000 NOTE

BOSTON, Oct. 2.—A man giving the name of John Francis Brice, of 69 Wall Street, New York, was arrested in Jamaica Plain last night. The police allege he was making a disturbance. He had but \$20.11 in cash, but in his pockets were a check-book in the name of John Francis Brice, of 69 Wall Street, New York, and notes payable to Brice. One of the notes was for \$32,000.

The man was charged with drunkenness. At first, he tried to give the name of Brown.

WHITE HOUSE LAWN IS TO BECOME STAGE

A performance is to be given on the lawn of the White House at 4 o'clock, Friday afternoon, October 16, by the Ben Greer Woodland Players, who will present "Pandora and the Box of Mis-chief," and "Mid-as and the Golden Touch," with old and modern Greek dances and processions. The play is adapted from Hawthorne's *Wonder Book*.

The performance is for the benefit of the Washington Playgrounds Association. Tickets will be on sale on and after Monday, October 5, at T. Arthur Smith's.

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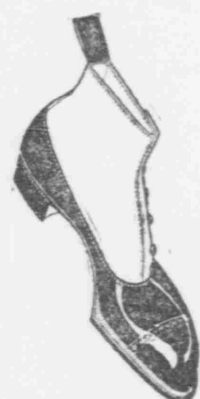
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